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PRICE 2 CTS.

MEDICINAL.

DR. PIERCE'S
GOLDEN
MEDICAL
DISCOVERY
THE
BEST
MUSCLE
BUILDER
AND
BLOOD
MAKER

GIVES STRENGTH TO THE
STOMACH,
PURITY TO THE
BLOOD,
LIFE TO THE LUNGS.

Nasal CATARRH
Catarrh
In all its stages there should be cleansing.
Ely's Cream Balm

ELLY'S CREAM BALM
Cures COLD IN HEAD
Cures COLD IN HEAD
Cures COLD IN HEAD

STOP SMOKING
For Over Fifty Years
An Old and Well-Tried Remedy.

ARNOLD'S BROMO-CRELEBY
Try this
unrivalled remedy for Headaches, Neuralgia,
Sciatic Rheumatism, 10 cents.

THE BEST FLOUR
IS WHAT EVERY
HOUSEWIFE WANTS
when she purchases flour for her bread, cakes
or pastry. She can never make any mistake
when choosing the "Pride" flour, made by the
most improved process from the choicest Vir-
ginia wheat, such as is manufactured at the
"Globe Mill." Our flour is unsurpassed for
quality, flavor and strength.

JNO. W. EMMERT & CO.,
Union and
Street.

Alexandria Fertilizer
and Chemical
Company,
MANUFACTURERS OF
Fertilizers, Fertilizer Materials and
Blue Windsor Ground Plaster,
PRINCESS STREET, BETWEEN UNION
AND LEE.

An Electric Fan,
Not a luxury, but just as necessary as a warm
stove in winter time. We can supply them
for residences, stores, offices and factories.
Better see us now so you will be prepared for
the first demand.

Alexandria Gazette.

PUBLISHED DAILY AND TRI-WEEKLY AT
Gazette Building, 510 & 512 Prince St
TERMS:

DAILY.	TRI-WEEKLY.
1 Year.....\$5 00	1 Year.....\$3 00
6 Months.....2 50	6 Months.....1 50
3 Months.....1 25	3 Months.....75
1 Month.....43	1 Month.....25
1 Week.....10	

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transient rates, and under no circum-
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space contracted for.
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of respect, resolutions adopted by societies
or persons, unless of public concern, will
only be printed in the paper as advertise-
ments.
The GAZETTE office is connected with the
Telephone Exchange. Advertisements, or-
ders for the paper, news or any information
or business can be sent by telephone.
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LETTER FROM CULPEPER.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]
Mitchell's April 30.—Young Phil
Strother, about 18 years old, son of
Capt. John R. Strother, while display-
ing a 32 calibre pistol to a party of
companions at this place on Saturday
last was so unfortunate as to shoot him-
self in the leg. The ball entered just
below the knee joint and tracing down-
ward lodged in the ankle. Dr. Con-
way, of Rapidan, happened to be pres-
ent, but advised his being carried home,
about 3 miles distant, before an opera-
tion should be performed. The ball
was to have been extracted yester-
day morning. While the wound is
serious, it is not regarded as danger-
ous.

Mrs. Bowersett, the wife of a mer-
chant living on the road about 4 miles
from Culpeper, after washing and
dressing her children on Friday night,
suddenly, and without a word or a
sigh, fell forward to the floor dead.
She leaves a husband and several
children.

On Saturday last the boys of Dr.
Hall's Mt. Welcome Academy, near
here, and the team from Culpeper
played a very interesting game of base-
ball. The honors were with the Culpeper
team on that occasion.
We are in the midst of the most
gorgeous fruit display seen in years
and if there is no mishap fruit of all
kinds will be in abundance this season.
The wheat, oats and grass crops are
looking encouragingly prosperous.
Corn planting is being pushed with
vigor this fine suitable season.

HUGGED NITRO GLYCERINE.

By one of the most cool-headed and
nervy acts in the history of the Pen-
sylvania oil fields at William
Bowers, of Roseville, on Satur-
day saved the lives of a number of men
and his own as well. He is employed
by the Harper Torpedo Company and
sent to "shoot" a well for William Cor-
mack on the McClintock farm, a few
miles north of Franklin, Pa. He filled
a shell with 38 quarts of nitro-glycerine
and had the long tin tube straightened
in the hole ready to lower it to the bot-
tom of the well, when the ball at the
top of the shell pulled off and the tor-
pedoes dropped.
Close beside Bowers was a can con-
taining several quarts of glycerine, and
about a dozen men were in the derrick
as spectators. Instantly he realized that
when the shell exploded the glycerine in the can
He seized the can, and with it in his
arm dashed rapidly from the derrick.
When the shell struck the fluid at a
depth of about 400 feet, it exploded,
and a stream of oil, gas and steam rushed
out of the can with a terrific roar,
tearing the top off of the derrick and shat-
tering the derrick floor. But for the
remarkable coolness and prompt action
of young Bowers the can containing the
glycerine would surely have been ex-
ploded, resulting in terrible loss of life.
Bowers was several yards away from
the derrick when the explosion came,
however, and the concussion did not af-
fect the glycerine in his arms.

CAP-TO-CAIRO RAILROAD.

The House of Commons in London yester-
day adopted by 185 votes to 40, a vote
of £1,930,000 for the completion of the
Uganda Railroad. Upwards of £3,
000,000 has already been expended on
this line.
The Uganda Railroad is a link in the
Cap-to-Cairo system, of which mar-
velous things are expected in the de-
velopment of the interior of Africa.
Work has been progressing at the rate
of 2,000 yards a day. The cost of the
first 279 miles was about \$9,726,405.
Late in February last direct telegraphic
communication was established be-
tween London and the source of the
Nile.

FELLED WITH AN AXE.—John Rich-
ards, of Matawan, N. J., may forfeit
his life because, sick and confined to his
boarding house, he continually com-
plained, much to the disgust of the
other boarders. Mack Skipper quarreled
with him Sunday night and felled him
with an axe. He may die.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. Geo.
Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, pre-
vented a dreadful tragedy and saved
two lives. A frightful cough had long
kept her awake every night. She had
tried many remedies and doctors, but
steadily grew worse until urged to try
Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle
wholly cured her. She writes this
marvelous medicine cured Mr.
Long of a severe attack of Pneumonia.
Such cures are positive proof of the
matchless merits of this grand remedy
for curing all throat, chest and lung
troubles. Only 50 cents and \$1.00.
Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles
free at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons'
Drug Store.

"No family can afford to be without One
Minute Cough Cure. It will stop a cough
and cure a cold quicker than any other med-
icine," writes C. W. Williams, Sterling Run,
Pa. It cures croup, bronchitis and all throat
and lung troubles and prevents consumption.
Pleasant and harmless.

DRY GOODS.

King's Palace Department Stores,
812-14 Seventh and 715 Market space,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

ENTIRE STOCK OF LADIES'
SUITS TO BE CLOSED
OUT.

Enormous reductions have been made to do
it quickly. Values greater than we have ever
offered are spread before you. Every suit in
the store reduced. These two lots show the
extent of the reduction.

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<p>\$10 & \$12 suits - - -</p>	<p>\$5 suits</p>	<p>\$12, \$15 & \$20 suits - - -</p>	<p>\$798 suits</p>
<p>Women's and Misses' Suits of fine Venetian, Broadcloth, Cheviot Serges, Homespun, Cocoons and handsome cloths, in black, blue, tans, mode, gray, royal, color, garnet, velvet, etc., with single and double-breasted bod-ies, front and rear jacket-lined with taffeta silk and some with satin; skirt made with the newest box-pleated backs. Many of these suits are plain, but there are equally many with taffeta silk, trimmed with broad and have strap and welt seams. Are being shown about town now at \$10 and \$12—at \$5.</p>		<p>Falls of Cheviot Serges, Venetians, Broad-cloth, Homespun, Cocoons, and other ex-pensive fabrics, in black and all the leading spring shades, embracing cadet, garnet, royal, color, mode, gray, tans, blue, etc., in plain and the most elaborately applied with taffeta silk braid, with all styles of jackets, single and double-breasted. Also, light-flaring, double-breasted bod-ies, front and rear effects, with new pleated skirt. Most of these suits are lined throughout with taffeta silk. And instead of \$12, \$15 and \$20, they go at \$7.98.</p>	

\$5 and \$6 Trimmed Hats, \$2.75.

A most remarkable sale of Ladies' Trimmed Hats, embrac-
ing all the newest shades and the most stylish shapes—in an
assortment embracing, perhaps, 300 sorts and a never-end-
ing variety—hats which are sold elsewhere for no less than
\$5 and \$6—for \$2.75.

Extraordinary Sale of Flowers

—the offerings of thousands of artificial flowers, embracing
every wanted sort, the very highest grades, in all the fashion-
able colors, embracing roses, foliage, blossoms, chrysanthem-
ums, fruits of all kinds, bouquets and large and small flowers
of every sort which are being used for prettifying hats, includ-
ing silk mull rosettes—

Such as are actually sold at 39c to 15c
75c, for—

King's Palace

Department Stores,
812-14 Seventh and 715 Market space,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

FURNITURE.

The Furniture House.

REFRIGERATORS AND ICE CHESTS—
The line we carry is the best made. Thoroughly
selected lumber is used, fully guar-
anteed. Nursery Refrigerators for the sick
room. Ice Chests as low as \$3.
CARRIAGES AND GO-CARTS—\$11 for a
beautiful full-roll carriage, latest condor
cushions, rubber-tire wheels, silk parol.
Go-Carts as low as \$3.
A few short lengths of Carpet at very low
prices.

M. Ruben & Sons,

601 KING STREET.

DOES IT PAY TO BUY CHEAP?

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is
all right, but you want something that
will relieve and cure the more se-
vere and dangerous results of throat
and lung troubles. What shall you do?
Go to a warmer and more regular
climate? Yes, if possible; if not possi-
ble for you, then in either case take the
ONLY remedy that has been introduced
in all civilized countries with success in
severe throat and lung troubles, "Boe-
chee's German Syrup." It not only
heals and stimulates the tissues to de-
stroy the germ disease, but allays in-
flammation, causes easy expectoration,
gives a good night's rest, and cures the
patient. Try ONE bottle. Becom-
mended many years ago by all
druggists in the world. For sale by
Ernest L. Allen, Claud M. Lennon,
Warfield & Hall, Charles G. Lennon,
W. F. Creighton & Co., and Richard
Gibson.

In its advanced and chronic form a cold in
the head is known as Nasal Catarrh and is
the recognized source of other diseases. Hav-
ing stood the test of continued successful use,
Ely's Cream Balm is recognized as a specific
for membrane diseases in the nasal passages,
and you should resort to this treatment in
your own case. It is not drying, does not
produce sneezing. Price 50 cents at drug-
ists or by mail. Ely Brothers, 69 Warren
street, New York. Give up prejudice and try it.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.
To quit tobacco easily and forever, be mag-
netic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-
Bacco, the wonder worker, that makes weak men
strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1.00. Cure guaran-
teed. Booklets and sample free. Address
Sawyer Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

CRANBERRIES.—Fancy Cape Cod Cran-
berries just received by
J. C. MILBURN.

JOB LOT DOMESTIC TORCHON LACES
very cheap at 4c, 5c, and 6c for your
choice.

A. C. SLAYMAKER,

429 KING STREET.

CHOICE CALIFORNIA EVAPORATED
PEACHES, extra bright, only 10c per lb.
At W. P. WOOLLS & SON'S.

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE.

Stetson's Big Spectacular
Uncle Tom's Cabin.

The Barnum of them all.

50 men, women and children.
Double Band and Orchestra.
A Great Company! A Great Castle!
Eva and her pony, Prince, Lone Star
Quartette, African Mandolin Players, Double
Quartette, Jubilee Singers, Buck and Wing
Dancers, Shonters, etc., and a genuine Cane
Walk. A pack of genuine Blood Hounds,
New Songs, New Dances, New Music, every-
thing new. Carload of Beautiful Scenery,
Cotton Picking, Home in the South, Eva's
Ascension. The Grandest Street Parade ever
given. Two Bands, Donkeys, Massive Dogs,
etc. A sight of a lifetime.
Watch for the big parade.
Admission 25, 35 and 50c. Tickets for
sale at Edgar Warfield's, Jr. drug store.
ap29 3c

"Passion Play of Ober-Ammergau."

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE

By E. D. F. BRADY, esq.,

of Washington,

IN LYCEUM HALL,

On WEDNESDAY EVENING, May 2, 1900,

at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the

YOUNG MEN'S SOCIETY OF LYCEUM.

Tickets 25c. For sale by members of the

Lyceum and at the box office on the evening

of the lecture. No reserved seats.

ap28 4c

CLOTHING, FURNISHINGS, & C.

SPRING

CLOTHING

FOR MEN & BOYS,

In all the latest styles and most

reasonable prices.

Spring Samples

For custom work now ready.

All goods marked in plain

figures.

R. Lee Field,

One-Price Clothier and Furnisher,

No. 304 King street.

WM. B. MURRAY,

MERCHANT TAILOR

NO. 517 KING STREET,
Alexandria, Va.

Inform his friends that he is prepared to

fulfill

SUITS IN THE LATEST STYLES

at very reasonable prices.

He guarantees satisfaction in every particu-
lar, and requests a call and inspection of
Samples.

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Merchant Tailoring.

We are prepared, with the assistance of a
new cutter whose services we have secured at
big expense, to furnish the latest spring
styles in

Fancy Worsteds

at reasonable prices. Send your order at once
to us to avoid being disappointed.

Robert T. Grimes,

Merchant Tailor and Men's

Furnishings,

329 King street, Alexandria, Va.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

SPRING OPENING

—OF—

STYLISH, UP-TO-DATE

FINE FOOTWEAR.

All the new ideas of the lead-
ing factories can be seen at
our store.

We are sole agents in Alex-
andria for the Hess fine shoes
for gentlemen.

Sorosis, Jennie Miller and
the Lindner Shoe Co.'s fine
shoes and Oxfords for ladies.

Our shoe business has in-
creased to such an extent that
we are forced, for the want of
space, to give up the clothing
business.

All our Men's, Boys' and
Children's Clothing will be sold
at less than original cost to
close.

J. A. Marshall & Bro.,

422 King street.

Leaders in up-to-date footwear.

DRY GOODS.

DRY GOODS.

SWAN BROS.,

ONE PRICE ONLY.

(Successors to J. R. Chapman)

NOS. 424-426 KING STREET.

Our sale of remnants has proven a great success, and we are
adding to it daily new and serviceable goods in short lengths,
the prices are very little and the quality the best. Our
special remnant bargains at present are as follows:

New York Mills Bleached Cotton, one yard wide, 8c a yard; Good Unbleached Cotton, one
yard wide, 5c a yard; Good Unbleached Cotton, 3/4c a yard; Splendid Quality White Dimity
Lawn, at 6 1/2c, 6 3/4c and 9 1/4c a yard; Elegant Quality White P. K. 7 1/2c, 8 1/4c and 12 1/4c a
yard; Scotch Lawn, fast colors, 4 1/2c a yard; Good Colored Dimity Lawn, 7c a yard; Dress
Gingham, very stylish patterns, 8 1/4c and 8 3/4c a yard; Light Colored, 4 1/2c a yard; Light
Oxford Flannel, 5c a yard; Apron Gingham, 6c a yard; Good Percale, 1 yd. wide, 6 1/2c a yd.

The Corset Department.

We always have in stock a full line of the best corsets at the least possible prices. We quote two Special Summer Corsets..... 39 AND 50c

The R. & G. Corset needs no recommendation, at..... 75c

The R. & G. Corset has no equal, at..... \$1.00

The American Lady Corset, is unsurpassed, at..... \$1.00

The New Kabo Bust Perfector.

We believe we are the first to introduce the New Kabo Bust Perfector, a
wonderful device which is worn over the Corset, thereby making a perfect
bust. It can also be worn without a Corset, and will prove a splendid bust
support. You only have to see it to appreciate it. Price..... \$1.00

Colored Shirt Waists.

We are showing many new styles in Ladies' Shirt Waists, and quote a
few prices—
Ladies' Percale Waists, tucked front..... 49c

Ladies' Percale Waists, tucked front..... 75c

Ladies' Madras Waists, very stylish..... 98c

White Shirt Waists.

Ladies' White Waists, very pretty and stylish, trimmed with Ham-
burg Inserting, at..... 50 AND 65c

Ladies' White Waists, with Linen Collars and Cuffs, lace yoke back and
front..... 75c

Ladies' White Waists, very pretty and stylish, trimmed with insertion..... 89c

Ladies' White Waists, best quality and exceedingly stylish and hand-
somely trimmed, at..... \$1.49 AND \$1.98

Black Lawn Waists.

Black Lawn Waists, plain and lace yoking back and front..... 89c

Black Lawn Waists, trimmed with Hamburg Inserting..... \$1.19

Kid Gloves.

Our Ladies' Kid Glove Department has proven a great success. Why?
Because we sell the best gloves obtainable at the price. We try them on at our
risk and should they rip or break the first time you put them on, we give
you a new pair. Price..... 98c. PAIR

Steel Scissors.

One Gross of Good Steel Scissors just received. Guaranteed. Price..... 25c. PAIR

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR THE FAMOUS STANDARD FASHIONS.

The MAY DESIGNER is a beautiful fashion book. Price 10c.

Washington Stores 1810 & 2808 14th st.

FOR SALE AND RENT.

FOR RENT.—Three comfortable new SIX-
ROOM FRAME DWELLINGS, Nos. 634,
636 and 638 South Columbus street. Water
in kitchen. Rent low to prompt tenants.
Mrs. M. A. WOOD,
ap19 eobt 617 South Washington st.

FOR SALE—"BON AIR," adjoining the
Theological Seminary grounds, Fairfax
county, Va., the country home of John E.
Chapman, 4 1/2 ACRES OF GROUND. House
contains 10 rooms besides bath and pantry.
Terms to suit purchaser. Will exchange for
city property. Address,
J. R. CHAPMAN,
Theological Seminary,
Fairfax county, Va.

ap24 2w

FOR SALE—A DRUG STORE, situated in
the northwest section of the city of Alex-
andria, Va., consisting of stock and fixtures,
drugs, show cases, soda fountain, etc. Will
be sold on reasonable terms. Apply to
W. H. SMITH & SONS,
ap28 1w

FOR SALE AT A GREAT BARGAIN.

NINE-ROOM BRICK HOUSE
In first-class condition, having just been re-
built; water and gas. BRICK STABLE with
6 stalls, loft above. Side alley with large
yard. Can be bought for one-half the cost.
DEWILTON AITCHESON,
Cor. Fairfax and Duke sts.

ap19 104

FOR SALE.

The COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE, No.
219 North St. Amph street (between Cameron
and Queen streets.) Bathroom, etc. Apply
at this office. mh27 1f

SIX ACRES OF LAND at Lochaber, just
north of the city limits. Good place for
profitable market garden. Apply at this
office. mh23 1f

FOR SALE.

THIRTY ACRES OF LAND

lying immediately in front of the Episcopal
Theological Seminary. For terms apply at
this office.

PROPOSALS.

DEPT. QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
Washington, D. C., April 26, 1900.—
Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received
here until 2 p. m., Friday, May 25, 1900,
and then opened, for constructing at Fort
Myer, Va., one Administration Building and
one Ballroom House; also for plumbing and
steam-heating the same where required.
Plans and specifications can be seen at this
office, also at Depot Quartermaster's office,
New York, Baltimore and Philadelphia. U.
S. reserves the right to accept or reject any or
all proposals, or any part thereof. Envelopes
containing proposals should be marked "Pro-
posals for Construction at Fort Myer, Va."
and addressed to MAJOR T. E. TRUE, Depot
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WE SELL TEA LIKE WE DO EVERY-
THING ELSE at reasonable profit.
Our Green Tea at 40c each, only 50c Tea
in this city. W. P. WOOLLS & SON

STRICTLY FRESH EGGS received daily
only 15c per dozen, at
W. P. WOOLLS & SON'S.

SHRIVER'S SILVER BRAND EARLY
JUNE PEAS, only 10c can at
W. P. WOOLLS & SON'S.

2 CANS FINE TABLE PEACHES, extra
heavy syrup, 25c at
W. P. WOOLLS & SON'S.

FISH DEALERS.

FOR THE SEASON OF 1900

Potomac Fish.

During the season, we will keep on hand and
received daily

All Kinds of Potomac Fish.